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Via email

September 6, 2017

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RE: MUR 7272

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Dear Mr. Scott:

This is in response to your letter dated September 1, 2017, requesting an extension of time to respond to the complaint in the above-noted matter. After considering the circumstances in your correspondence, the Office of General Counsel has granted the requested extension. Accordingly, your response is due on or before the close of business October 6, 2017.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 202-694-1650 or 800-424-9530.

Sincerely,

Kathryn Ross, Paralegal Complaints Examination and

Legal Administration